

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION  
OPIATE LITIGATION

This Document Relates To:

*City of Paterson v. Purdue Pharma, L.P., et al.*,  
No. 1:18-op-45371

MDL No. 2804

Case No. 1:17-md-2804

Judge Dan Aaron Polster

**NOTICE OF AMENDED CERTIFICATION**

By email dated October 7, 2024, the City of Paterson, New Jersey certified to the Plaintiffs' Executive Committee (PEC) that it had circulated a litigation hold in connection with *City of Paterson v. Purdue Pharma, L.P., et al.*, No. 1:18-op-45371, and additionally stated that, as of that date, it was not prepared to serve as a bellwether plaintiff in litigation against pharmacy benefit managers (PBMs).

After reconsidering the resources available for litigation, Paterson amends its October 7, 2024 certification as follows: Paterson is committed to being a bellwether and will devote all necessary resources to the endeavor, subject to further vetting of its candidacy by the Court and the parties.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on October 17, 2024, I caused the foregoing to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

*s/ Donald A. Broggi*

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